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For:

ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DEVICE AND CONTROL

METHOD THEREOF (being amended to ELECTRONIC

INFORMATION DEVICE HAVING A DISPLAY AND

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING

POWER-OFF OF THE DISPLAY)

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## **AMENDMENT**

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2003, which provides for a response period ending January 8, 2004.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE:**

Please Amend the title as follows:

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ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DEVICE <u>HAVING A DISPLAY</u> AND CONTROL METHOD <u>AND APPARATUS</u> THEREOF FOR CONTROLLING POWER-OFF OF THE DISPLAY